

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims in the subject patent application as follows:

- 1-19. (canceled)
20. (currently amended) A cellular thermoplastic article ~~according to claim 17,~~
wherein ~~the article the thickness of the article is greater than or equal to 45~~
mils and less than or equal to 76 mils thick, the density of the article is less
than or equal to 0.254 gm/cubic centimeter and the article has a total energy
absorbed before failure of at least about 0.40 0.31 Joules at about -29°C.
21. (previously presented) A cellular thermoplastic article according to claim 20,
wherein the article has at least about 0.34 weight percent moisture.
22. (previously presented) A cellular thermoplastic article according to claim 20
wherein the bubbles contain inert gas and water.
23. (previously presented) A cellular thermoplastic article according to claim 22,
wherein the article has at least about 0.34 weight percent moisture.
24. (previously presented) A cellular thermoplastic article according to claim 20,
wherein the thermoplastic consists essentially of polyethylene terephthalate.
25. (previously presented) A cellular thermoplastic article according to claim 21,
wherein the thermoplastic consists essentially of polyethylene terephthalate.
26. (previously presented) A cellular thermoplastic article according to claim 22,
wherein the thermoplastic consists essentially of polyethylene terephthalate.
27. (previously presented) A cellular thermoplastic article according to claim 23,
wherein the thermoplastic consists essentially of polyethylene terephthalate.